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DECLARATION OF CITIZENSHIP

MUST ACCOMPANY ALL APPLICATIONS FOR INITIAL LICENSING OR RENEWAL OF LICENSE

The "SAVE Act" requires every state government entity, to verify that *every adult* applicant for a professional license is either a U.S. citizen, a "qualified alien," or a nonimmigrant who meets the requirements set out at 8 U.S.C. 1621.

I am applying for a _____ license/permit.
TYPE OF LICENSE/PERMIT (Please Print) License Number if applicable

Name of establishment / company _____

Please Print Legibly

Name: _____
Last First Middle Maiden

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: Home: (____) ____-____ Office: (____) ____-____ Fax: (____) ____-____

I am a United States Citizen: _____ Yes _____ No

Applicants Claiming United States Citizenship **MUST** provide a **copy** of two or more of the following:

1. Tennessee Driver's License, or photo ID issued by Department of Homeland Security.
2. A valid driver license or ID issued by another state provided its issuance requirements meet Department of Homeland Security criteria.
3. An official birth certificate issued by a U.S. state, territory, or other jurisdiction. Puerto Rican birth certificates issued before July 1, 2010 do not count.
4. A federally issued birth certificate.
5. A valid, unexpired U.S. passport.
6. A report of birth abroad of a U.S. citizen.
7. A certificate of citizenship.
8. A certificate of naturalization.
9. A U.S. citizen ID card.
10. Any successor document to #'s 4-9 above.
11. SSN that the entity may verify with the Social Security Administration in accordance with Federal Law.

If you checked "No" please indicate from the list below which category applies to you:

_____ Permanent Resident

_____ A nonimmigrant applicant for a professional or commercial license whose visa for entry into the United States is related to such employment, or a nonimmigrant under the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101 *et seq.*).

- _____ Foreign nationals not present in the United States seeking the issuance or renewal of a professional license.
- _____ Asylees who meet the qualifications set out in 8 U.S.C. 1158
- _____ Refugees who meet the qualifications set out in 8 U.S.C. 1157
- _____ Persons who have been “paroled into the United States,” under 8 U.S.C. 1182(d)(5) or whose deportation has been withheld under 8 U.S.C. 1253.
- _____ Cuban or Haitian entrants as defined by section 501(e) of the Refugee Education Assistance Act of 1980
- _____ Persons granted conditional entry into the U.S. under 8 U.S.C. 1153(a)(7) before April 1, 1980, because of persecution or fear of persecution on account of race, religion, or political opinion or because of being uprooted by catastrophic national calamity.
- _____ An alien who has been “battered” or subjected to “extreme cruelty” by a parent or spouse as defined by 8 U.S.C. 1641(c)(2) and (3), victims’ children, or the parents of children who are victims, may also apply for license(s) as qualified aliens.

Applicants claiming qualified alien status, please submit a **copy** of **two or more** of the following forms of “documentation of identity and immigration status” as determined by U.S. Homeland Security to be acceptable for verification through the SAVE program. Common types of documents used to verify immigration status:

I-327 (Reentry Permit)
 I-551 (Permanent Resident Card or “Green Card”)
 I-571 (Refugee Travel Document)
 I-766 (Employment Authorization Card)
 Machine Readable Immigrant Visa (with Temporary I-551 language)
 Temporary I-551 stamp (on passport or I-94)
 I-94 (Arrival/Departure record)
 Unexpired foreign passport
 WT/WB Admission Stamp in unexpired foreign passport
 I-20 (Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant F91) student status-“student visa”)
 DS2019 (Certificate of Eligibility for Exchange Visitor (J-1) Status)

I affirm under the penalty of perjury that the above is true and correct.

Signed this _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

 Signature

Sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

 NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIX SEAL HERE

My Commission Expires: _____

If an applicant is discovered to be an unqualified alien, or otherwise ineligible for license(s) under the Act, all license(s) issued to that applicant must be immediately terminated/void. Anyone who purposefully makes a false, fictitious, or fraudulent claim of U.S. citizenship or qualified alien status will be liable under the Tennessee False Claims Act. Any person who conspires to defraud the state or any state governmental entity by securing a false claim allowed or paid to another person in violation of the Act may be liable under Tennessee’s False Claims Act. Upon discovery of an applicant’s false, fictitious, or fraudulent claim of U.S. citizenship, state governmental entities must also file a criminal complaint with the United States Attorney.